

## SENATE BILL No. 320

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### DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 9-29-5-2; IC 16-41.

**Synopsis:** Spinal cord and brain injury fund. Eliminates: (1) the \$10 registration fee on motorcycles that is designated for deposit in the spinal cord and brain injury fund; and (2) a cross-reference to the registration fee in the law establishing the spinal cord and brain injury fund. Repeals the law establishing the spinal cord and brain injury fund, and reenacts the law under a different citation number to resolve a technical conflict between P.L.193-2007 and P.L.234-2007, which resulted in the addition of two different laws with the same citation number.

**Effective:** July 1, 2008.

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January 10, 2008, read first time and referred to Committee on Appropriations.

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Introduced

Second Regular Session 115th General Assembly (2008)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2007 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

1 SECTION 1. IC 9-29-5-2, AS AMENDED BY P.L.234-2007,  
2 SECTION 43, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
3 JULY 1, 2008]: Sec. 2. The fee for the registration of a motorcycle is  
4 ~~twenty-seven~~ **seventeen** dollars (~~\$27~~); (**\$17**). The revenue from this fee  
5 shall be allocated as follows:

6 (1) Seven dollars (\$7) to the motorcycle operator safety education  
7 fund established by IC 20-30-13-11.

8 (2) An amount prescribed as a license branch service charge  
9 under IC 9-29-3.

10 ~~(3) Ten dollars (\$10) to the spinal cord and brain injury fund~~  
11 ~~under IC 16-41-42-4.~~

12 ~~(4)~~ (3) The balance to the state general fund for credit to the  
13 motor vehicle highway account.

14 SECTION 2. IC 16-41-42.2-3 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA  
15 CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS  
16 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2008]: **Sec. 3. (a) The spinal cord and brain**  
17 **injury fund is established to fund research on spinal cord and brain**



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- 1 injuries.
- 2 (b) The fund shall be administered by the state department.
- 3 (c) The fund consists of:
- 4 (1) appropriations;
- 5 (2) gifts and bequests;
- 6 (3) fees deposited in the fund by law; and
- 7 (4) grants received from the federal government or private
- 8 sources.
- 9 (d) The expenses of administering the fund shall be paid from
- 10 money in the fund.
- 11 (e) The treasurer of state shall invest the money in the fund not
- 12 currently needed to meet the obligations of the fund in the same
- 13 manner as other public money may be invested.
- 14 (f) Money in the fund at the end of a state fiscal year does not
- 15 revert to the state general fund.
- 16 (g) The money in the fund is continually appropriated to the
- 17 state department to fund spinal cord and brain injury research
- 18 programs.
- 19 SECTION 3. IC 16-41-42-3, AS ADDED BY P.L.234-2007,
- 20 SECTION 47, IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2008].

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